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Docket No.

Cryogen-1 (Straub-1)

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Response to Non-Compliant Amendment Transmittal Letter

Commissioner for Patents
 PO Box 1450
 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

In re Application of: Kinnison, Charlotte F., et al.

Group Art Unit: 1734

Serial No.: 09/993,397

Filed: November 14, 2001

Examiner: Tadesse, Yewebdar T.

For: Methods and Apparatus for Applying a Thermal Conductive Medium

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

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March 19, 2004

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Enclosed is an amendment in the above-identified application.
 Enclosed is a Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement
 The fee for this amendment is computed as follows:

Claims As Amended						
(1)	(2) Claims Remaining After Amendment	(3)	(4) Highest No. Previously Paid For	(5) Present Extra	(6) Rate	(7) Additional Fee
Total Claims	13	Minus	** 22	= 0	x \$18.00	= \$0
Independent Claims	5	Minus	*** 3	= 2	x \$84.00	= \$168
Additional fee for filing one or more multiple dependent claims, if no such fee has been previously paid					\$280	\$0
					Total Additional Fee For This Amendment →	\$168

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Please charge to Deposit Account 501921 the above identified fee for this amendment and any fees under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17 which may be required during the entire pendency of this application. This authorization includes the fee for any extension of time under 37 CFR 1.136(a) that may be necessary. To the extent any such extension should become necessary it is hereby requested.

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Respectfully submitted,

Signature

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Dear Sir:

In response is to Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment mailed March 15, 2004 and the Office Action mailed November 10, 2003, please enter the following amendment:

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